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Distinctive Styles

Clothes of the better kind. Suits, Overcoats and Raincoats that appeal to a man's highest ideas so far as style, workmanship and gentility is concerned. This is the kind of Clothing we delight in showing you. Now that the cool weather of early winter has arrived it is time to think of the clothes question in a serious mood—and then it's Fair week, and all of Virginia will be represented in this grand old city of Richmond. Spruce up a bit for this occasion; let the city be seen at its best.

Our Fall and Winter Models for young men and older ones in a pleasing variety of the richest and most exclusive patterns of the season are ready for your inspection. One will find here a selection of the newest and most popular shades of Gray, Olive, Green, Blue, etc., in Fancy Worsteds, Cassimeres, Cheviots and other fabrics—moderately priced and within reach of all.



Men's and Young Men's Fall Suits,
\$10 to \$40

Fall and Winter Raincoats and Overcoats,
\$10 to \$35

Boys' and Children's Department

We clothe the little fellows from three years to eighteen years of age in the newest and best fall productions of juvenile clothing. Our stock is at present teeming with the brightest and best things from the world's best makers.

Suits in Reefers, Norfolk, Russian Blouse and Sailor styles, \$2.00 to \$12.00.
Top Coats, Reefers, Long or Medium Length Overcoats, \$2.50 to \$10.00.
This department, devoted exclusively to boys and children, occupies an entire floor, and is completely stocked with everything that a boy or child will wear—Hats, Caps, Shirts, Underwear, Collars, Neckwear, Blouses, etc.

Fall and Winter Furnishings

New, clean, crisp things in every line of our Men's Haberdashery—styles that are different. Our entire stock of furnishings is fairly bristling with new things for a man's wardrobe. The following are a few of the many things found here and needed for completing your Fall and Winter Outfitting:

Neckwear
NEW SILKS AND PATTERNS.
25c to \$1.50

Gloves
A VARIETY OF NEW SHADES.
\$1 to \$2.50
FANCY VESTS.

Shirts
WHITE AND FANCY NEGLIGEE,
STIFF OR PLAID BOSOM.
\$1, \$1.50, \$2

Hosiery
IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC.
COTTON, LISLE, SILK, ETC.
25c to \$1.50 Pair
COAT SWEATERS.

Underwear
ALL COLORS AND KINDS.
50c to \$3
Per Garment.

Night Robes and Pajamas
MUSLIN, MADRAS, SILK, ETC.
\$1 to \$6
Complete Stock of
CANES AND UMBRELLAS.

Visitors to the State Fair will find this quality man's store of Richmond.

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FOR MEN & BOYS

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A most cordial welcome awaits you here. Make this store your headquarters.

PROTEST AGAINST POLITICAL MOVE

Postmasters Oppose Giving Resolutions to Republican Papers Only.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR YEAR

Next Year's Meeting at Winston-Salem—Road Must Build New Station.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
RALEIGH, N. C., September 30.—The Association of North Carolina Postmasters recorded a stormy protest against a political turn that was given their third annual convention here this afternoon by a motion made by Postmaster Hancock, of Newbern, that only Republican papers of the State be allowed copies of the general resolutions adopted. The motion was quickly withdrawn.

The resolutions adopted express appreciation at the presence of Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General P. V. Degraw and other representatives of the Post-Office Department at Washington; pledge full co-operation in the campaign of retrenchment and economy being pressed by Postmaster-General Hitchcock and his assistants; urged that rural carriers be appointed as city carriers now are; that un-called-for letters be held only fifteen days, instead of thirty days, and asked for an investigation into the question of whether the rule for identification perforation of stamps does not have the effect of depriving post-offices where agencies of large corporations are located of stamp sales they should have.

Postmasters Wallace, of Wilmington; W. W. Rollins, of Asheville, and Briggs, of Raleigh, were named as a committee to work for the coming of the 1911 National Convention of Postmasters of Third Class Offices.

Officers Are Elected.
The association adjourned to meet next year in Winston-Salem. Officers elected for the next year are: Postmaster C. A. Reynolds, of Winston-Salem, president; W. W. Rollins, of Asheville; S. M. Hamrick, of Hickory; White, of Mebane; J. O. Fitzgerald, of Pelham, vice-presidents; and J. R. Joyce, of Reidsville, re-elected secretary-treasurer. There was insistence that the retiring president, W. G. Briggs, of Raleigh, continue as president for another year, but he firmly declined, insisting there should be rotation, and that his two years of service was the limit.

When the association convened for the session this morning B. N. Davis, assistant superintendent of the city delivery department of the Post-Office Department, was introduced and spoke at length on detail matters pertaining to this important part of the postal department. He insisted that the postmasters see to it that the city carriers always presented a neat appearance, and that rules be enforced so that the deliveries be as rapid and prompt as possible. He showed how a few seconds' delay at each house where deliveries were made would aggregate hours, and delay and impair the service over the whole route.

Collection of Mail.
There was spirited discussion, led by Postmaster Hancock, of Newbern, as to whether these carriers should go into porches where there were mail boxes and get mail when there was no mail to be delivered at that house. Mr. Davis declared that there should be no such collection of mail, especially as there were street boxes placed all over the cities to receive mail to be dispatched.

On the other hand, Mr. Hancock declared that the department at Washington had ruled that his carriers must go into houses where these mail boxes were equipped with signals, and get the mail, whether they had mail to deliver or not. He said these signal boxes often got out of fix and the people using them would complain about the mail being left in the boxes when it was no fault of the carrier. Mr. Davis was sure that the department would require no carrier to call at dwellings for mail where there was no mail to deliver.

Fourth-Class Postmasters.
The North Carolina League of Postmasters of Post-Offices of the Fourth Class held a separate session this morning and elected Postmaster J. O. Fitzgerald, of Pelham, president; H. W. Norris, of Holly Springs, vice-president; and O. J. Jones, of Mantio, secretary-treasurer. They elected as delegates to the session of the National League, to meet in Syracuse, N. Y., October 6 to 8, J. O. Fitzgerald, of Pelham; J. A. Vest, of Rural Hall, and O. J. Jones, of Mantio.

Must Build Union Station.
The Corporation Commission has made an order for the Seaboard Air Line and the Atlantic Coast Line to submit within thirty days plans for a union passenger station at Weldon to take the place of the present separate and inadequate accommodations.

No estimated cost of the union station is given, but it is understood that a building costing somewhere in the neighborhood of \$10,000 will meet the approval of the commissioners.

Charters Granted.
The Dockery-Porter Company, of Rockingham, Richmond county, was chartered to-day with \$600,000 capital, by J. M. Dockery, J. A. Porter, A. S. Dockery and others for a general mercantile business.
The Greenfield Park Development Company, of Wallace, is chartered for Wallace, capital \$50,000, by Z. L. Carter, W. B. Brice and others, for developing real estate.

ATTEMPTED TO ESCAPE JAIL.

Tried to Disable Fellow-Prisoner and Was Caught—Several Convictions.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
CHATHAM, VA., September 30.—The regular September term of Pittsylvania county Circuit Court adjourned Tuesday, having disposed of a large number of criminal cases and a small chancery docket. Six were sentenced to the penitentiary—Foreman Davis, colored, for one year; Robert Crawley, colored, for one year; Joe Wilkerson, white, two years; Stephen Farson, seven years; George Hopkins, seven years; Jesse Alexander, ten years.

On Monday night George Hopkins attempted to break jail, and but for the interference of his cell-mate would have made good his escape. Hopkins and Farson were in the same cell, both having been convicted at the term for burglary, and were awaiting removal to the penitentiary. While Farson was asleep Hopkins broke the locks on the inner iron frame of the cell window and was preparing to batter the outer frame away with a leg from his iron cot, which he had broken to use in opening the inner frame.

Fearing his cell-mate would awake, Hopkins decided to knock him unconscious with the iron leg. Just as he was bringing the deadly weapon down upon Farson, his victim awoke in time to ward the blow off with his hand, which was painfully bruised. Farson at once grappled his assailant and threw him to the floor, holding him until jailer Yeatts was notified. Hopkins was moved to the most secure cell in the prison. On Monday Hopkins importuned Farson to call the jailer under a pretext to repair the water-works of the prison, when he would secrete himself and strike the officer down and escape.

FOUL PLAY SUSPECTED.
Prominent Citizen of Wilkes County Found Dead on Street.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., September 30.—W. G. McNeal, a prosperous merchant and farmer of Wilkes county, was found dead on the street in North Wilkesboro at 3 o'clock this morning. He went there yesterday to attend the county fair.

Foul play is suspected, and the town and county officials are investigating.
Veterans' Reunion.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
SALISBURY, N. C., September 30.—With a large number of old soldiers in attendance, the annual reunion of the Confederate Veterans of Rowan county was held in Salisbury to-day. The occasion was of much interest to the rapidly decreasing number of veterans in Rowan. A big dinner, served by the ladies of Salisbury, was the feature of the day. A number of prominent members of Rowan camp have died since the last reunion.

Way of Moonshiner Hard.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., September 30.—W. Pruitt, white, aged fifty-five years, died of Prince George, colored, aged thirty-five, were escorted to Atlanta to-night by officers to serve one year and one day each in the Federal penitentiary for distilling and selling moonshine.

Way of Moonshiner Hard.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., September 30.—A meeting of representative business men along the line of a proposed railroad from North Wilkesboro to Mountain City, Tenn., was held in the former town to-day, when plans were perfected looking to the building of the new road, which will be sixty-five miles in length and run via Jefferson, Ashe county.

The Southern Railway is behind the enterprise and will give the company a direct line to the West.

COURT SESSIONS AT NEWBERN.

Carraway to Be Tried—Schools Begin Work To-day—Big Fish Yield.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NEWBERN, N. C., September 30.—A two weeks' term of the Superior Court opens here on Monday, October 4, Judge O. C. Gorton presiding. The first week is for the trial of criminal cases and the second for civil cases.

Following the Superior Court a special session of the Federal court will open on October 18 for one week, followed by the regular session of two weeks. During the term of the Federal court the case of J. R. B. Carraway, alleged defaulting teller of the National Bank, will be tried.

Schools Open To-day.
The city schools open October 1 for their year's work. Many changes are being made this year. A domestic science course will be given. Miss Maude McCreesh, of Durham, being the teacher. The manual training work

J.B. Mosby & Co.

Our Third Floor Specials

For Friday and Saturday will interest every visitor. Garments for immediate use and garments for future use. All priced so low that if you look you'll buy.

Extra Special Values in

One-Piece Fancy Dresses

Made of choicest and newest materials and shown in newest colors. Skirts in latest heavily braided panel front and back, with stylish plaiting around bottom; a \$25.00 dress for \$10.75.

Black Silk One-Piece Dresses

Beautifully made and trimmed with fancy braiding; the newest plaited skirt; a \$20.00 dress for \$14.75.

A Fine Taffeta Waist

Made in four styles, in all-over-tucks and handsome braided effects and jet buttons; a \$5 waist for \$3.98.

One Lot of Fancy

Hand-Made Waists

In plain white only; all sizes; special, \$5.98.

One Lot of Fine Suits

The finest and best of last season's styles; semi-fit coats and plain skirts. These suits sold last season as high as \$9.50; your choice, \$5.00.

Another Lot of Fine Suits

All good sizes and colors; some strictly tailored and some fancy and elaborately trimmed; skirts beautifully braided and with side plaits. These suits sold as high as \$5.00. Your choice now for \$2.75.

Special Suits

About 20 in all, from the best of last season's styles; well tailored, semi-fit coats and skirts, all of stylish model. These suits are made of fine Broadcloths and Mannish Mixtures. Regular price, \$35.00; special, \$14.75.

FANCY EVENING CAFES

These are the very latest styles and cuts. Colors light blue, pink and other light tints. Cut full wide and full length. These Cafes are \$50 value, at \$22.50.

ONE LOT OF FINE SHIRTS

Made of Panamas and Serges, Newest plaiting, with yoke effects. Bought to sell for \$3.50, but special, \$5.00.

Our Fourth Floor Specials

For Friday and Saturday

EVERY ITEM A SPLENDID VALUE

Renaissance Curtains

For to-day, 75 pairs, 3 yards long and made on good heavy net; a \$3.00 curtain at \$1.95.

Cluny Curtains

125 pairs, in white and ecru, finished with nice wide edgings and insertions to match; a \$5.00 curtain for \$3.40.

Odd Portieres

35 pairs of all shades and good qualities; worth from \$5.00 to \$7.50; special, \$4.95.

One Lot of

Stripe Tapestry Couch Covers; our regular \$1.50 kinds at 95c.

Axminster Rugs

Size 18x36, from our regular \$1.25 lines; very special at 95c.

25 Pieces

Fine Cretonnes and Drapery Crepes; worth 20c, at 13 1/2c.

500 Fancy Willow Waste Baskets, 75c kind, at 49c.

50 rolls 118 Warp China Matting, extra heavy, of different patterns, mostly greens; special, \$10.00 roll, 30c yard.

express trains have carried two special fish cars. It is said that at Beaufort and Morehead City the catch is the largest ever known.
Dr. R. C. Beaman, one of the best known ministers in the State, and at present pastor of Centenary Church, has been quite sick for several weeks from a malignant carbuncle on his shoulder. Several operations have been performed on it, and he is now reported as improving.

Big Catch of Fish.
Shipments of fish from this section are very large just now. The Norfolk and Southern Railroad is having the heaviest continued shipments ever known. For some days both of the

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Comfort speaks as you draw on a pair of "Queen Quality" shoes. There are such wonderful and varied adjustments in these shoes that when properly fitted, you can wear them with comfort and ease from the very first day you put them on.

Hofheimer's

GOVERNOR SPEAKS AT BIG BARBECUE

Dinwiddie Citizens Give Executive an Enthusiastic Reception.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
DINWIDDIE, VA., September 30.—One of the largest crowds at a political meeting in the history of the county was present to-day to hear Governor Swanson and Congressman R. R. Lassiter. A barbecue was held, and a fine feast was served. The feeling was good, and party spirit was aroused in a manner eminently satisfactory to Democratic leaders.

The Governor was introduced by Judge J. H. Harris. The address of the Executive was along the lines of his speech at Surry, and was received with great enthusiasm. His defense of the record of the party in State affairs was masterly and complete.
Representative Lassiter spoke for about fifteen minutes, the crowd giving him earnest attention.
The Governor and his party were brought to Dinwiddie in an automobile from Petersburg, and were taken back this evening by the same conveyance. To all appearances Governor Swanson enjoyed the occasion extremely. He was warmly greeted by the people, and shook hands with many of them.

TAFT WRITES OF VIRGINIA.

President in Letter to Stump Hopes for Republican Victory.
ROANOKE, VA., September 30.—Congressman C. B. Stump, Republican State chairman, has received a letter from President Taft, in which the President says he has been watching with intense interest the campaign in Virginia, with the earnest hope that "you are assisting in behalf of the Repub-

can candidate a large number of young and progressive men of the State, who, without abating in the slightest degree their pride in their section and its history, are nevertheless anxious to arrange themselves on the progressive side in politics, and who believe that by the rehabilitation of the Republican party in Virginia and the selection of able and upright men for candidates upon the Republican ticket and their election, the political conditions in Virginia may be greatly improved."

Mr. Taft adds that he shall not return to the East before the election, and that he writes to express to Mr. Stump his wishes for a successful result.

Big Sales of Tobacco.
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., September 30.—During the first nine months of this year the tobacco manufacturers here have shipped 33,539,183 pounds of the weed to all parts of the world. This is an increase of 8,622,353 pounds over the same period last year.

West Virginia Couple Married.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WINCHESTER, VA., September 30.—John Thomas Nuckles and Miss Ethel Belle Linfrock, formerly of this county, but now of Martinsburg, W. Va., came to Winchester to-day and were married. They will live at Martinsburg, where the groom is employed as Baltimore and Ohio Railroad telegraph operator.

COLDS
Are depressing, painful and annoying. Do not neglect a cold. Treat it at once and ward off serious complications that will assuredly follow neglect.
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GRIPPE PILLS
Act quickly. They reduce fever, relieve all aching pains, do not depress the heart. They are the greatest of all specifics for colds. Fully guaranteed.
Price, 25c per box—druggists.
POLK MILLER DRUG CO.,
814 East Main Street.

Summary of Operations of the Building Inspector's Office

FROM JANUARY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1909.

Total number of Permits issued in September for new work	37
Total number of permits issued in September for alterations and repairs	41
Total number of permits issued in September	78
Estimated cost of new improvements in September	\$170,140
Estimated cost of alterations and repairs in September	\$4,731
Total cost of work authorized in September	\$233,874
Average value of permit for new work in September	\$4,611.04
Average value of permit for alterations and repairs in September	\$1,334.00
Average value of total permits issued in September	\$2,998.34
NEW STRUCTURES, 1909.	
September, Jan. 1 to Sept. 30.	No. Amount.
Brick dwellings	10 \$37,225
Frame dwellings	22 20,625
Stores	9 25,000
Sheds	5 575
Warehouses and manuf.	2 10,250
Churches	3 56,015
Brick stables	1 1,700
Armory and market	1 123,000
Office buildings	1 32,000
Bank buildings	2 20,500
Lodge halls	2 17,005
Observatories	1 15,000
Engine houses	1 6,500
Freight depots	3 93,000
Apartment houses	1 140,000
	\$217,140
Total amount of new work from January 1 to date	\$2,174,047
Total amount of repair work from January 1 to date	\$68,710
Total amount of all work authorized to date	\$2,083,337
Total number of examinations and reports	45
Increase in new work in September, 1909, as compared with September, 1908, is \$51,700; increase in alteration and repair work in September, 1909, as compared with September, 1908, is \$14,731; making a total increase of all work authorized in September, 1909, as compared with September, 1908, of \$66,431.	